



# CENTRAL OHIO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION



Box 1561, Dublin, OH 43017

## February 2023

**When:** 7 p.m., Feb. 21  
**Where:** Oakstone Academy  
900 Club Dr., Westerville  
**Speaker:** Mike Rupert  
**Topic:** Satirical Tokens of Napoleon III

## February presentation

The reign of Napoleon III saw three episodes which facilitated the unification of German states. First was the Second War of Schleswig in 1864, caused by the death of the Danish king who left no male heirs. The second was unification, which provided Prussia with an ally in the Austro-Prussian War of 1866. And finally, fearing an encirclement from having a Hohenzollern noble sit on the Spanish throne, France decided to go to war with Prussia in 1870.



By 1870 though, three important lessons became apparent. A powerful state could challenge old alliances and spheres of influence through force of arms. A rival state could be manipulated into declaring war first forcing allied states to come to their aid. And that Prussia was the only state capable of protecting them all.

With skillful manipulation, a situation was created in which France would play the role of aggressor while Prussia would play that of the protector of rights and liberties. Victory in the Franco-Prussian War was the capstone of the unification process. The transformation of Germany from a loose confederation into a federal nation state was complete. - **Mike Rupert**



*Herman Blanton, right, congratulates Zane Neighbor for winning his Manifest Destiny quiz.*

## January presentation

Herman Blanton: "Manifest Destiny: A Numismatic Remembrance"

Herman presented in a somewhat enigmatic form the relationship between William Tecumseh Sherman & Henrietta Eugenia ("Hettie") Anderson, who both were models for the famous sculptor Augustus Saint-Gaudens. Zane Neighbor correctly answered many of the questions posed by Herman during his talk and was awarded for his efforts with a book. -- **Chris Palmer**

## Raffle

The raffle item will be an NCG MS-70 2024 Silver Eagle

Tickets are: \$1 each; 6 for \$5; 13 for \$10. --- **Gary**

## Dues are due!

Invoices have been mailed to the addresses on file.

### New rates

Single - \$20

Family - \$30 (2 or more adults and youths)

Youths - free under 18

Pay them at the next meeting or by mail to Box 1561, Dublin, OH 43017

-Garlene

## Bill Kamb update

*Bill Kamb, who has taken collecting from circulation to a new level, gives this update:*

I finally added another penny to my collection, a 1926S! I've searched over 400,000 pennies since my last new find, the 1916D. I never thought it would take this much searching but evidently I have the patience, probably because of the other odd-ball stuff that I'm finding like Indian Heads, steel pennies, etc. Now I have 69 of 89 pennies in book #1.-- **Bill Kamb**

## January winners

**Door Prizes:** Mike Renner - 2000-D Lincoln cent in ICG "Intercept Shield" holder, Bruce Neighbor - 2002 Ohio state quarter in ANACS holder from OSGS 8/29 - 8/31, 2003, Harold Spencer - 2013-D Ohio ATB quarter in ANACS holder from 20th Anniversary OSGS 8/29 - 9/1, 2013, Herman Blanton - Young Collectors Edition WWII 50th Anniversary half dollar (1991-1995), Steve Rayburn - Young Collectors Edition 1995 U.S. Olympic(Atlanta) baseball half dollar, Charles Caldwell - 2023 Canada 50 cent coin, Pete Miller - 1948-S Roosevelt dime PCGS MS65

**50/50:** No name could be drawn due to an "unforeseen" circumstance, so the \$52/\$26 rolls over to February

**Raffle:** Steve Barnett picked up the 1957 U.S. proof set in OGP

## Secretary's report

As President Stephen Petty was not present, Vice-President Dan Carroll called the meeting to order @7 PM.

**SERGEANT-AT-ARMS:** Roger Serrot, reported there were 34 members in attendance with 2 guests - Chris Serrot & Mike Pricher

## SECRETARY'S REPORT (Chris Palmer):

The minutes from the November meeting were read and accepted "with corrections."

## TREASURER'S REPORT (Jim Huffman):

As of 11/01/23 the starting bank balance = \$5,650.76. Deposits included (Nov.) \$6,052.35 show revenue and (Dec.) \$1,355 Christmas party, \$400 raffle, & \$65 membership. Checks issued were (Nov.) \$24 to Oakstone (cookies), and (Dec.) \$2,500 to Oakstone (annual gift), \$2,754.50 to Heritage Golf Club (Christmas party) & \$184.58 to Scholz & Ey Engravers (awards)...leaving the ending bank balance as of 12/31/23 = \$8,060.03.

The starting petty cash balance = \$466.08. Additions of \$9.25 from the Nov. auction and \$82 from the 50-50 brought the petty cash subtotal to \$557.33. Payments of \$105 to Patty Cass, who won the Nov. 50-50 drawing, \$30 for door prizes, & \$5.38 for engraving left the ending petty cash balance = \$416.95. Jim also stated our Business Premier Plus balance now = \$38,645.31...plus he also announced a \$450 discount had been received from HGC stemming from the poor quality of the beef at the Christmas party.

## Committee Reports:

**OSCS (Patty Cass)** - Patty was not present, but Dan Carroll advised the 2024 show prep was progressing well.

**Membership (Garlene Smithson)** - Garlene reminded all that 2024 dues were due & that she had mailed invoices (and already received many responses). She also submitted for membership the applications of Kathy Hall, Shawna(sic) Ralls, Mike Pricher, and Chad & Beth Cantrell...and they were all accepted by acclamation of the attending members

**Raffle (Gary Heberline)** Gary announced the item = 1957 U.S. proof set in OGP

## Board of Directors

Spence Sunderland announced that the next BOD meeting would be Tuesday, May 14, 2024. Spence also brought to the attention of those in attendance the recent passing of long-time member, Evan Brill.

## Show and Tell

- John Rieske advised he'd found one of his ancient coin reproductions for sale on eBay
- Geoff Gruendl passed around his Japanese type set album (he says he still needs 1870 1 yen)

The meeting was adjourned @8:51 PM

-- *Secretary Chris Palmer*

## Club auction

Send March lots to Steve Barnett - sbarnet5@columbus.rr.com - by March 10.

## Hilltop auction

**When:** Feb.. 27, (5:30 p.m. lot viewing)

**Where:** Grove City Coin, 2655 Columbus St.

## Columbus Coin Show

**When:** Feb. 18 - 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Where:** Makoy Center, Hilliard

**Admission:** CONA members get in free

## Upcoming coin shows

### Greenhills Classic Stamp & Coin Show

Feb. 25, 2024 10am – 4pm

4th Sunday Every Month .

American Legion

11100 Winton Road

Cincinnati, OH 45218

Future shows: Mar 31, Apr 28

## Amish Country Coin Show

Feb 24 2024 Sat. 9 am – 2 pm

Pier At Lighthouse of Hope.

10470 Winesburg Rd

Dundee OH 44624

## Miami Valley Coin Show

March 3, 2024 Sat. 10 am – 3 pm

Advnaced Business Properties.

(Old IUE Hall)

1675 Woodman Dr.

Dayton, OH 45432

*Compiled by Dan Carroll*

## Speakers

March. - Bill Kamb - Newfoundland Tokens

April - Jim Belt - TBD

May - Tony Cass - Counterfeits

June - John Roberts - Colonial paper

November - Brett Irick - Mexican coins

*Speakers needed for July, Sept. and Nov. Email*

*Gerry - gtebben@gmail.com - if you want to share your hobby.*

## Auction lots continued from Page 6

	Gary H.				
55	1850 U. S. Large Cent	1	VG	\$18.00	
56	1889/1890/1891 Indian Cents	3	G-VG	\$3.00	
57	1894 Indian Cent Better Date	1	VG	\$3.00	
58	1895/96/97/98/99 Indian Cents	5	G-VG	\$5.00	
59	1909 Indian Cent	1		\$6.00	
60	1919 Buffalo Nickel TWO FEATHER VARIETY	1	G-VG	\$9.00	
61	1938/38S Jefferson Nickels	2		\$2.00	
62	1939 Jefferson Nickel TYPE 2, Even Steps, Reverse of 1940	1	MS-63	\$8.00	
63	1964-D Jefferson Nickel Reverse Lamination	1	AU	\$3.00	
64	1999 Australia 50 Cents KM 404 One Year Type	1		\$2.00	
65	1984 Australia Dollar KM 77 One Year Type	1		\$2.00	
66	1966 Ireland Florin KM 15A	1	MS-63	\$3.00	
67	1935 Ireland 3 Pence KM 4 Mintage 240,000 Books at \$65	1	AU	\$35.00	
68	1935 Ireland 6 Pence KM 5 Mintage 520,000 Books at \$40	1	EF-45	\$24.00	
69	1934-S Peace Dollar	1		\$28.00	
	Gerald T.				
70	Hidden Value in Coins by Hobson	1	USED	\$1.00	
71	1941,1943 Newfoundland 1 cent	2	CIRC	\$1.00	
72	1856 Napoleon III 5,10 centime	2	CIRC	\$1.00	
73	1950 England 1 penny	1	CIRC	\$1.00	
74	1919,1920,1930,1936,1962 England pennies	5	CIRC	\$1.00	
75	1861,1862,1882H,1888,1896 English pennies	5	CIRC	\$1.00	
76	1862,1863,1872,1875,1877 England pennies	5	CIRC	\$1.00	
77	1862,1875,1879,1882H,1887 England Pennies	5	CIRC	\$1.00	
78	Denver Mint History, US Coinage laws, 6 other booklets	8	USED	\$1.00	
79	Gold Coins of the World, 5th edition	1	USED	\$1.00	



# In memoriam

*Evan Bill's 'life was celebrated Feb. 4. Here is his memorial.*

In Loving Memory

*Evan S. Brill*

*Born*

April 13, 1939

Quaker City, Ohio

*Passed Away*

December 23, 2023

Columbus, Ohio

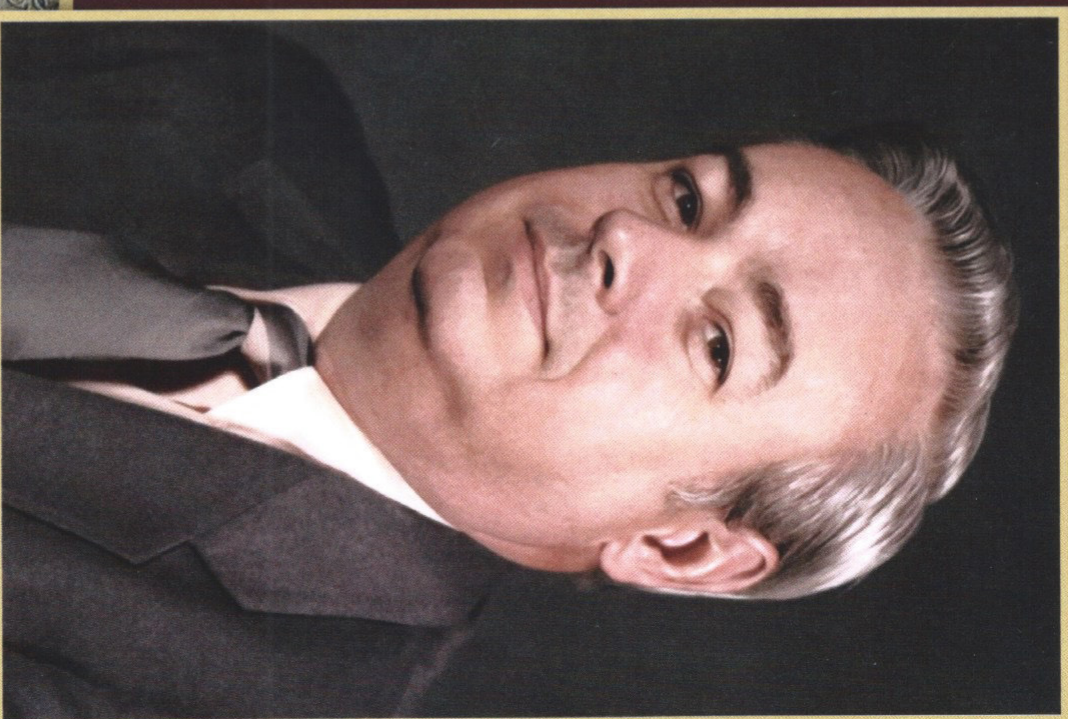
*Celebration of Life*

February 4, 2024

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Schoedinger Northwest

Columbus, Ohio





Evan Luther Brill, 84, passed away peacefully on Saturday, December 23, 2023 in Columbus, Ohio, after a long battle with Alzheimer's.

Born April 13, 1939, in Quaker City, Ohio, to the late Nellie and Paul Brill. His Father died when he was 3 years old so he was raised by his late Great Aunt and Uncle, Mill and Blaine Day. Graduating from a one room schoolhouse in Eastern Ohio, he took the life values and the practical skills he learned and ventured to the "big" city, by attending the Ohio State University where he earned his Bachelor's Degree in Physics and a Master's in Computer Science. It was the Ohio State University where he met his wife of 62 years, Nancy Brill.

He served in the Reserves for the Army National Guard and then embarked on his 29-year career as a Senior Program Manager at Battelle Memorial Institute in Columbus, Ohio where his achievements were numerous. He had extensive experience in the software development process and was a constant advocate for process improvement. In the 1980's, he pioneered internal software engineering projects at Battelle seeking ways to improve upon software engineering practices and their underlying methodologies and technologies. With his drive to seek out new procedures, he became the Director of the Software Engineering Process Group (SEPG), a group of senior software engineers charged with defining and executing the division's internal SEPG program. Concurrently he was also Director of the Software Quality Assurance tasked with establishing and updating division policies and procedures for the division's software engineering projects.

Among his many projects, he was responsible for the development of the Marine Safety Information System for the US Coast Guard. In addition, he served as the chief architect for the design of the Vessel Inspection Information System to support the US Coast Guard's Commercial Vessel Safety program. Furthermore, he invented and led the development of the Automated Construction

of Transaction Systems (ACTS), an application generator that functions as an online transaction application, which was a robust development capable of supporting the creation of various large online, transaction processing applications. As Manager of technical and business development for computer-based systems, he was instrumental in the development of the Automated Roadway Management System (ARMS) used on tollways where AVI technologies identified and classified vehicles for purposes of computing and collecting tolls. He provided technical leadership in developing logistics management information systems to the Air Force Logistics Command and developing information systems to the Air Force Logistics Command (AFLC) to developing information systems for Florida's Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services. He served as the chief architect for the design of the Vessel Inspection Information System to support the US Coast Guard's Commercial Vessel Safety program. Throughout his career, he authored and coauthored numerous reports and publications in the areas noted above.

After retiring from corporate life, he pursued his earlier passion in Numismatics, the study of or collection of currency and coins. He established his own company, Majestic Coins. Traveling around the region at various coin shows and developing many relationships with fellow Numismatists, he gained his fellow collectors' respect and trust as they relied on his vast knowledge of the history and his expertise in "all things" coins. As his company and expertise grew, he was elected Bourse Chairman of the Ohio Chapter of Numismatist and created the Ohio State Annual Coin Show.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy Brill, his two children, daughter, Darcie Brill, son, Craig Brill and his favorite feline buddy, Chloe. Evan will be greatly missed by his family and friends but know he is in a better place where pain no longer exists and memories are embraced and last forever...

*this is not goodbye but see you later...*

## In memoriam

# Dr. Russell Dunkin dies at 67

I'm saddened to report that Dr. Russell Dunkin died unexpectedly Dec. 31 at Memorial Hospital.

He is survived by the sunshine of his life, Carolyn Dale Dunkin; his son, James Mitchell Dunkin; his sister, Edith (Mark) Dunkin Jeffrey; and numerous relatives.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Wittenberg University Biology Department.



February 2024 CONA Auction List					
#	Description	Qty.	Grade	Min. Bid	Sell Price
<b>Steve B.</b>					
1	Whitman Bookshelf Album Mercury dimes 1916-1945 lightly used	1	USED	\$2.00	
2	Washington Quarters Whitman folder #3 1965-1979 with 24 clad quarters	1 set	AU/BU	\$7.00	
3	1850 Bank of Upper Canada half penny	1	CIRC	\$2.00	
4	1866 3 cent nickel	1	F	\$6.00	
5	1883 no cent nickel	1	UNC	\$25.00	
6	1913 Buffalo nickel type I	1	BU	\$25.00	
7	1951D Jefferson Nickel some steps	1	BU	\$7.00	
8	1961 Proof Jefferson Nickel Cameo	1	PROOF	\$2.00	
9	1944 Mercury Dime iridescent gold toning on obverse	1	BU	\$8.00	
10	1945D Mercury Dime iridescent gold and blue obv toning full bands	1	BU	\$8.00	
11	1978S Kennedy Half Heavy cameo	1	Proof	\$3.00	
12	1980S Kennedy half Heavy Cameo	1	Proof	\$3.00	
13	1882 O/S Morgan dollar	1	XF/AU	\$50.00	
14	1959 and 1960D lg date Lincoln cent rolls	2 rolls	BU	\$2.00	
15	1962 and 1963D Lincoln cent rolls	2 rolls	BU	\$2.00	
<b>Roger S.</b>					
16	2005P US Marine Corp silver dollar in mint package	1	BU	\$30.00	
17	1950D Roosevelt Dime PCGS 66	1	MS66	\$10.00	
18	2023 Canada 50 cent King Charles	1		OPEN	
19	1975 Canada \$1.00 PL in mint box	1	PL	OPEN	
20	Great Britain 5 pence military bank note	1		OPEN	
21	Great Britain 10 pence military bank note	1		Open	
22	1923 Germany 20,000 Mark bank note	1	EF	OPEN	
23	1923 Germany 10 Million Mark banknote	1	AU	OPEN	
24	1955D Roosevelt Dime	1	BU	\$3.00	
25	1923 Germany 1000 Mark bank note	1	EF	OPEN	
26	Malaya WW II \$10.00 bank note	1	UNC	OPEN	
27	roll of ave. Circ. Buffalo nickels Teens, 20's, 30's	1 roll	CIRC	\$20.00	
<b>Herman B.</b>					
28	US: Lincoln Cent 1963-D	50	BU	\$0.75	
29	US: Lincoln Cent 1963	50	BU	\$0.75	
30	US: Lincoln Cent 1973	50	BU	\$1.00	
31	US: Lincoln Cent 1965	50	BU	\$0.75	
32	US: Lincoln Cent 1961-D	50	BU	\$0.75	
33	US: Lincoln Cent 1971	50	BU	\$3.00	
34	Lincoln cent 1944, 1947-d, 1954-D and 1960 Large Date	4	Red Unc	\$1.00	
35	Colombia 50¢ 1917. Same spec as US \$1/2. Struck in Philadelphia	1	VF	\$12.00	
36	Colombia 1¢ 1968, 1969; 5¢ 1968 and 50¢ 1967	4	UNC	\$1.00	
37	Colombia Medal 1960 37mm 28.1g. silver. Struck to commemorate 150th anniversary of beginnings of of beginnings of independence in 1810 and establishment of museum.	1		\$25.00	
38	Fiji Penny KM2 1934 EF; KM7 1937 EF. Cat value \$9.50	2	EF	\$3.00	
39	Spain Philip IV with 2 counterstamps revalued to 6 maravedis in 1636 and to 4 maravedis in 1655. maravedis in 1655. Interesting coin.	1	VF	\$6.00	
<b>Diane H.</b>					
40	1971-S Eisenhower Dollar SILVER	1	MS-64	\$10.00	
41	1972-S Eisenhower Dollar SILVER	1	MS-64	\$10.00	
42	1923-S Peace Dollar	1		\$28.00	
43	1962 Coin World Medal (EBAY: \$15-20)	1	UNC	\$4.00	
44	1930 Massachusetts 300th Anniv Medal (EBAY:\$25)	1	AU+	\$10.00	
45	1961 Providence Rhode Island 325th Anniv Medal (EBAY:\$6-12)	1	AU	\$3.00	
46	1928 Hoover Lucky Pocket Piece (EBAY:\$20)	1	AU	\$10.00	
47	1979 NYC 75th Anniv Subway Token (EBAY:\$5-10)	1	AU	\$2.00	
48	1937 France Telephone Token (Numista: N#16650)	1	AU	\$2.00	
49	1896 Newfoundland Cent (Mintage 200,000)	1	VF	\$8.00	
50	1871 Prince Edward Island Cent	1	F	\$7.00	
51	1876-H Canada Large Cent	1	F	\$5.00	
52	1882-H Canada Large Cent OC2	1	EF	\$7.00	
53	1909 Canada Large Cent	1	EF	\$5.00	
54	1880-H Canada 5 Cent Silver	1	F	\$12.00	